

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

**Whereas**, Taran Ray Winnie of Troop 397 in Kearney, Missouri, has successfully completed all the stringent requirements necessary to attain the coveted rank of Eagle Scout, Scouting's highest honor; and

**Whereas**, Taran Winnie earned the praise and respect of many for the initiative and enthusiasm he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved replacing or repairing flagpole holders mounted on power poles along the major thoroughfares within the City of Kearney; and

**Whereas**, during his many years in the Scouting program, Taran Winnie earned an impressive thirty-three merit badges, attained Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow and Brave status in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say where his name is "Intense Running Blue Spark", and participated in many years of summer camp at the H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation and Brownsea Junior Leadership Training; and

**Whereas**, Taran Winnie has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Patrol Leader, Historian, and Troop Guide; and

**Whereas**, Taran Winnie has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud family, friends, teachers, and Scoutmaster:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Taran Winnie at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Taran Ray Winnie.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Doug Ervin  
District No. 35

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker